

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

P.S – Labour Employment Training & Factories Department – Dr.K.Srinivasa Rao, CSS (Ortho), ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad district - Departmental Proceedings under Rule 20 of the APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Articles of charges – Issued.

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LABOUR EMPLOYMENT TRAINING & FACTORIES (IMS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1582

Dated:27-09-2011

Read the following:-

- 1)From the Dir., Insurance Medical Services, AP, Hyd., Lr.Rc.No.9137/Vigilance/11, dt.21-5-2011.
- 2)Govt.Memo No.3897/IMS-1/2011, Dated.27-5-2011.
- 3)From the Dir., IMS, Hyd., Lr.Rc.No.9137/Vigilance/2011, dated.30-5-11 & 16-6-2011.
- 4)Govt.Memo No.3897/IMS-1/2011, dated.01-08-2011.
- 5)From the Dir., IMS, Hyd., Lr.Rc.No.9137/Vigilance/2011, dated.8-8-11.

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ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Dr.K.Srinivasa Rao, CSS(Ortho), ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad district in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the A.P.C.S.(CC&A) Rule,s 1991 as his act of manner and gross misconduct which will place his official position under the kind of embarrassment.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I). A statement of imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in support of each article of charge is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure – III & IV).

3. Dr. K.Srinivasa Rao, CSS (Ortho), ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad District is directed to submit a written statement of his defence within 10 days of the receipt of this orders.

4. Dr. K.Srinivasa Rao, CSS (Ortho), ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad district is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charge as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Dr. K.Srinivasa Rao, CSS (Ortho), ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad district is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para-3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

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6. Attention of Dr. K.Srinivasa Rao, is invited to Rule 24 of the A.P.C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interests in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with in these proceedings it will be presumed that Dr.K.Srinivasa Rao is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule 24 of the A.P.C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of the G.O may be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA RADESH)

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To
Dr.K.Srinivasa Rao, Civil Surgeon Specialist, (Ortho), ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar,
Hyderabad through the Director, Insurance Medical Services, AP, Hyderabad.
The Director, Insurance Medical Services, AP, Hyderabad. He is requested to
furnish the documents mentioned in the Annexure – III to the charged official.
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// FORWARDED : : BY ORDER//

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ANNEXURE-I

Statement of Articles of charges framed against Dr.K.Srinivasa Rao, Civil Surgeon Specialist (Ortho), ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad .

Article – 1 :

That Dr.K.Srinivasa Rao, Civil Surgeon Specialist (Ortho), working at ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad failed to identify the correct diagnosis and also the seriousness of the condition in spite of the investigations available which was disclosing raised renal parameters. The patient was not referred by Ortho Civil Surgeon Specialist to Nephrologists or Physician though the investigations of the patient showed raised renal parameters.

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Annexure – II

Statement of Imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in support of the Articles of charges framed against Dr.K.Srinivasa Rao, Civil Surgeon Specialist (Ortho), ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad.

Smt.R.Sarika was admitted in the FS.ward under the care of Dr.K.Srinivasa Rao of Orthopaedic unit-III with complaints of swelling of both knees, difficulty in movements since 4 months, frequency of urination and no fever on 17-4-2011. Required investigations were done. And the patient was referred to NIMS. As her general condition was normal she was discharged on 21-4-2011 by NIMS and also reviewed by Rheumatologist. Smt.Sarika W/o.Sri Mahendar was admitted again in AMC ward on 6-5-2011 at 12.00 PM with complaints of polyarthralgia with vomitings and fever since 25 days at ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad. A provisional diagnosis polyarthralgia with connective tissue disorder with the nephritis was made.

The Physician has examined the patient and ordered for required investigations. After seeing the investigations report, she suspected ARF and immediately referred the patient to NIMS for admission and further management. The patient went to NIMS at 2.10 PM, the OPD was closed and the patient was sent back to ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar at 3-05 PM. The duty Staff Nurse of AMC was not informed the return back-up the patient from NIMS to ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar to the duty Medical Officer. She independently gave the treatment which was prescribed by the Physician of ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar and same was informed to her reliever Smt.D.Anitha, Staff Nurse who is working on Out Sourcing.

Subsequently the patient was in AMC. She was seen by the DMO at 10-00 PM on 6-5-2011 and the treatment was continued which was advised by the Physician in the morning. Suddenly at 8-00 am on 7-5-2011 the Staff Nurse of AMC discovered that the patient was not responding and the same was informed to DMO. The DMO has seen the patient and he found the patient in gasping stage. The DMO immediately initiated the resuscitation but not survive the patient and the patient was declared dead at 8.35 AM on 7-5-2011.

This incident was published in "Sakshi daily news paper" on 8-5-2011 alleging that :

- 1.Smt.R.Sarika died due to negligence on the part of doctors and staff nurses of ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad.
- 2.Smt.R.Sarika died due to non availability of super vision of Medical Officer.
- 3.The Medical Officer could not identify the critical condition of the patient.

He is invited to rule (3) of Conduct rules, no government employee shall act in a manner which will place his official position under any kind of embarrassment, the charged officer is charge with the above gross misconduct.

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Annexure-III

List of Documents by which the Articles of charges framed against Dr.K.Srinivasa Rao, Civil Surgeon Specialist (Ortho), Sanathnagar, Hyderabad.

- 1) Complaint from Sri R.Mahendar, IP No.2979118 husband of the deceased on 7-5-2011
- 2) Preliminary report of the Medical Superintendent of ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar on 7-5-2011.
- 3) Adverse News item published in 'Sakshi daily news paper ' on 8-5-2011.

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Annexure – IV

List of witnesses by whomn the articles of charges framed against Dr.K.Srinivasa Rao, Civil Surgeon Specialist (Ortho), Sanathnagar, Hyderabad.

- 1) Director, Insurance Medical Services, AP, Hyderabad.
- 2) Medical Superintendent, ESI Hospital, Sanathanagr, Hyderabad.

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